

## Indiana Department of Environmental Management Office of Water Quality Wetlands Section

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**Closing Date:** 

December 27, 2007

## **PUBLIC NOTICE**

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Corps of Engineers ID Number: Not Available

To all interested parties:

This letter shall serve as a formal notice of the receipt of an application for Section 401 Water Quality Certification by the Indiana Department of Environmental Management (IDEM). The purpose of the notice is to inform the public of active applications submitted for water quality certification under Section 401 of the Clean Water Act (33 U.S.C. § 1341) and to solicit comments and information on any impacts to water quality related to the proposed project. IDEM will evaluate whether the project complies with Indiana's water quality standards as set forth at 327 IAC 2.

1. Applicant:

Mr. Edward Meyer

Clark County Board of Commissioners

501 East Court Avenue Jeffersonville, IN 47130 2. Agent: Ms. Jaime Sias

Bernardin, Lochmueller & Associates

6125 South East Street Indianapolis, IN 46227

3. Project location:

Part of Section 165, 166, and 167 of the Clarks Military Grant

The project is located along Perry Crossing Road approximately 1.2 miles north of the intersection of SR 60 and

Perry Crossing Road west of I-65.

4. Affected waterbody:

Muddy Fork Creek and emergent wetlands

5. Project Description:

The applicant proposes to rehabilitate approximately 1.53 miles of Perry Crossing Road by adding turn lanes, shoulders, realigning and improving drainage. The proposed project will result in the discharge of fill material into 4 wetlands totaling 0.21 acre of impact. Additionally, existing 24-inch twin culverts will be removed and an 8' X 3' box culvert will be installed in an Unnamed tributary to Muddy Fork Creek impacting a total of 92 linear feet of stream. The existing bridge over Muddy Fork Creek will be widened to match the proposed road and will result in a discharge of concrete for pier widening and riprap for bank stabilization impacting 131 linear feet (0.10 acre) of stream. As compensatory mitigation for the proposed impacts, the applicant proposes to create approximately 0.68 acres of emergent wetland and preserve approximately 1.11 acres of existing emergent wetland. The mitigation is located near the Clark/Floyd Landfill property. Additional information about this project can be viewed at the following webpage: http://www.in.gov/idem/programs/water/401/pubnot.html

Comment period:

Any person or entity who wishes to submit comments or information relevant to the aforementioned project may do so by the closing date noted above. Only comments or information related to water quality or potential impacts of the project on water quality can be considered by IDEM in the water quality certification review process.

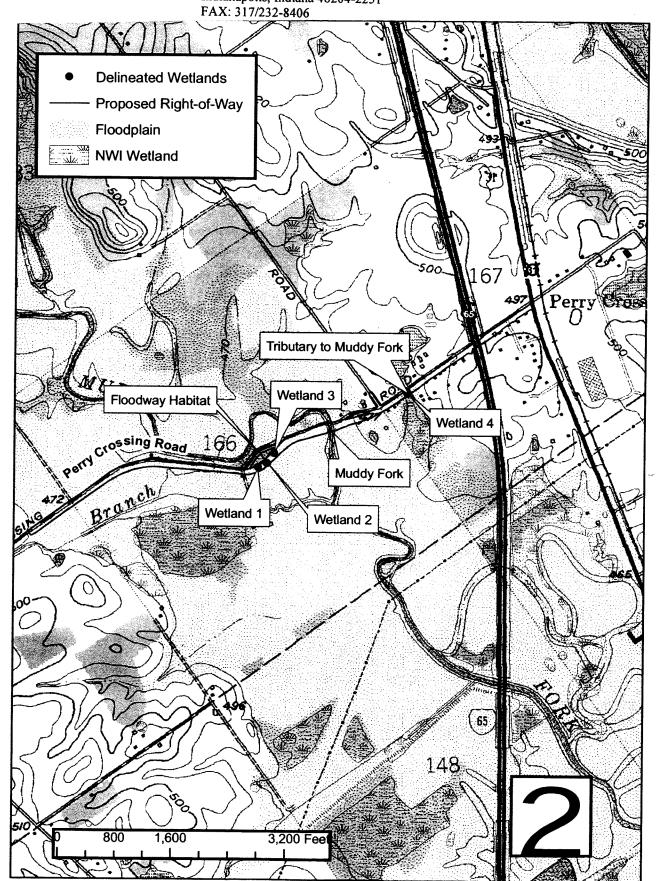
Public Hearing:

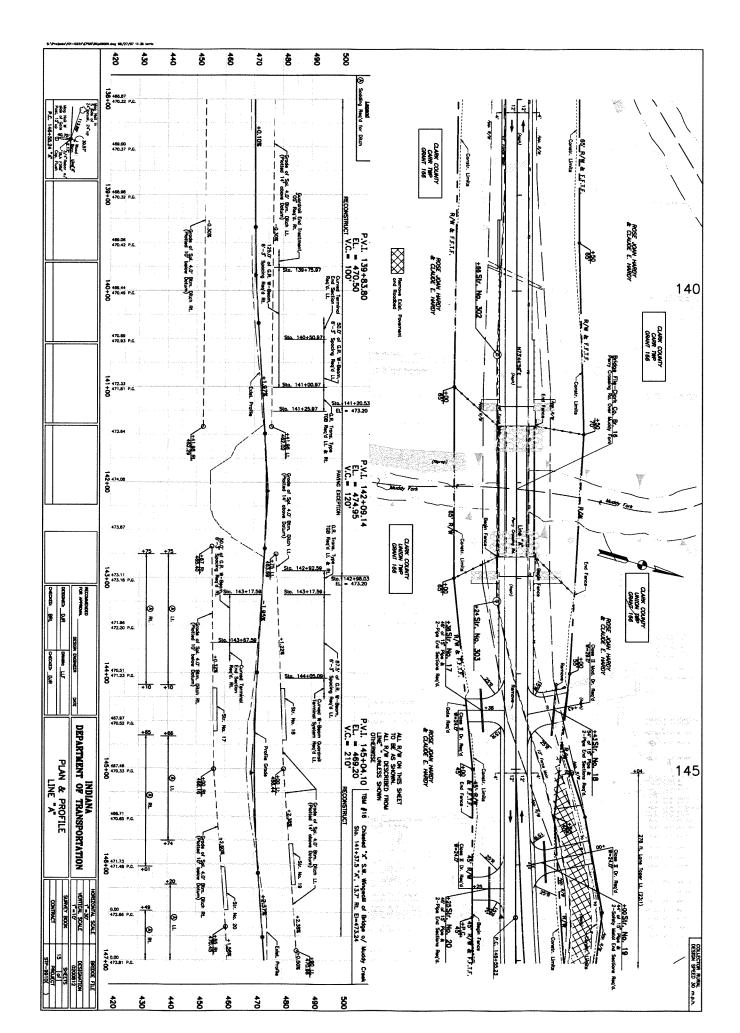
Any person may submit a written request that a public hearing be held to consider issues related to water quality in connection with the project detailed in this notice. The request for a hearing should be submitted within the comment period to be considered timely. The request should also state the reason for the public hearing as specifically as possible to assist IDEM in determining whether a public hearing is warranted.

Questions?

Additional information may be obtained from Mr. Jason Randolph, Project Manager, at 317-233-0467. Please address all correspondence to the project manager and reference the IDEM project identification number listed on this notice. Indicate if you wish to receive a copy of IDEM's final decision. Written comments and inquiries may be forwarded to -

Indiana Department of Environmental Management 100 North Senate Avenue MC65-42 WQS IGCN 1255 Indianapolis, Indiana 46204-2251

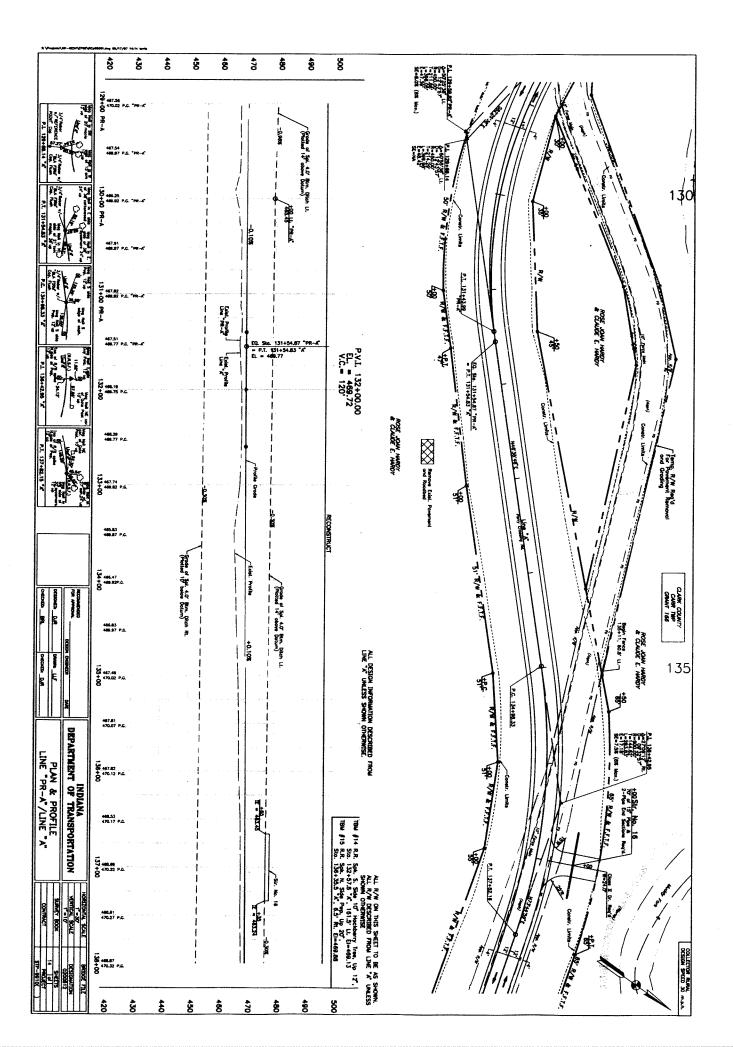


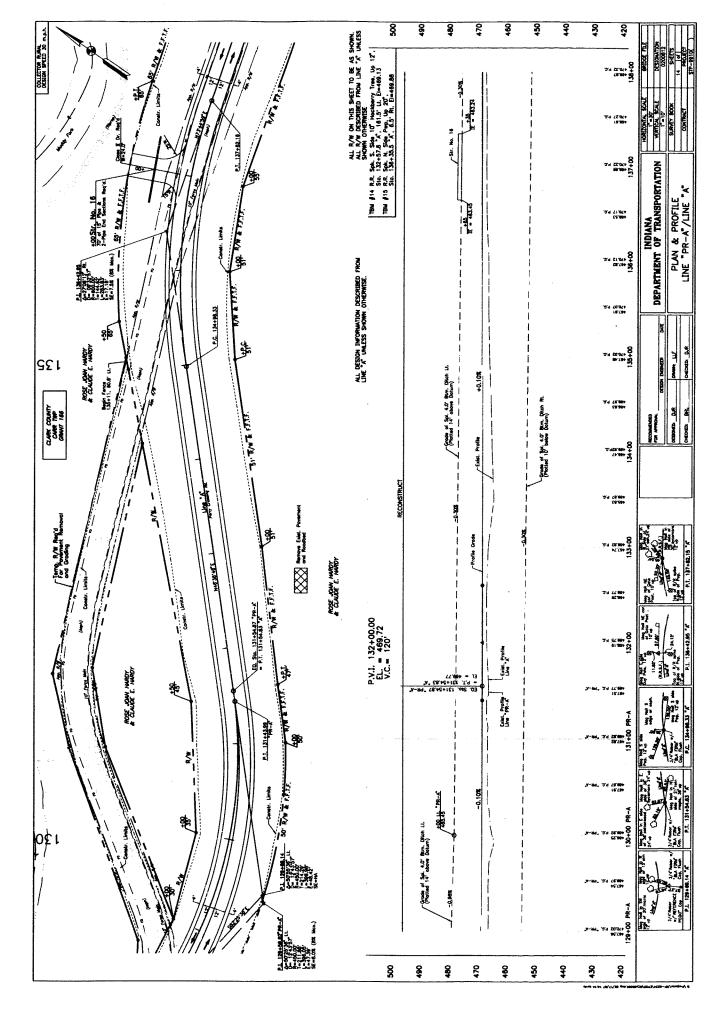


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Topic comments

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**Proposed Wetland Mitigation Site** Zone B/Preservation (1.1 acres) Zone A (0.23 acre) Zone A (0.42 acre) Floodplains

## **Proposed Floodway Habitat Mitigation Site**

